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## REVISED REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.322

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith is a REVISED Certificate of Correction to replace the Request for Certificate of Correction filed on May 7, 2010 with respect to the above-identified U.S. Patent. The priority data has been updated to reflect the current status of each application listed as continuity data.

For your ease, please review the chart on page 2 in which we have underlined priority information that is missing from the face page of the patent and added a strikethrough to priority information that is incorrect and therefore should be deleted from the face page of the patent.

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## CHART OF PRIORITY INFORMATION CHANGES

Application::	Continuity Type::	Parent Application::	Parent Filing Date::	Status
This Application	Continuation-in-part of	10/256,160	09/26/02	6,989,032
10/256,160	Continuation-in-part of	10/175,417	06/19/02	<u>7,563,285</u>
10/175,417	Continuation-in-part of	10/151,280	05/20/02	<u>7,604,664</u>
<del>10/175,417</del>	Continuation-in-part of	10/140,153	<del>05/07/02</del>	Abandoned
10/175,417	Continuation-in-part of	10/128,619	04/23/02	6,863,689
<del>10/175,417</del>	Continuation-in-part of	09/982,148	<del>10/18/01</del>	6,673,113
09/982,148	Continuation-in-part of	09/970,479	<del>10/04/01</del>	6,669,730
09/982,148	Continuation-in-part of	09/968,046	<del>10/01/01</del>	Abandoned
09/968,046	Continuation-in-part of	09/906,119	<del>07/16/01</del>	<del>6,607,559</del>
10/151,280	Continuation-in-part of	09/970,479	<u>10/04/01</u>	6,669,730
<u>09/970,479</u>	Continuation-in-part of	09/968,046	<u>10/01/01</u>	Abandoned
10/151,280	Continuation-in-part of	10/140,153	05/07/02	Abandoned
<u>10/140,153</u>	Continuation-in-part of	09/970,479	<u>10/04/01</u>	6,669,730
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<u>10/128,619</u>	Continuation-in-part of	09/906,119	<u>07/16/01</u>	<u>6,607,559</u>
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In addition, below is a paragraph showing the changes that would be made to the priority information on the face page of the patent by the enclosed Certificate of Correction.

Continuation-in-part of application No. 10/256,160, filed on Sep. 26, 2002, now U.S. Patent 6,989,032, which is a continuation-in-part of application No. 10/175,417, filed on Jun. 19, 2002, now 7,563,285, which is a continuation-in-part of application No. 10/151,280, filed on May 20, 2002, now U.S. Patent 7,604.664, and which is a continuation-in-part application of both application No. 09/970,479, filed October 4, 2001, now U.S. Patent 6,669,730, as well as application No. 10/140,153, filed on May 7, 2002, and a continuation-in-part of May 7, 2002, now abandoned, the former being a continuation-in-part application of application No. 09/968,046, filed October 1, 2001, now abandoned, and the latter being a continuation-in-part application of both application No. 09/970,479, detailed above, as well as application No. 10/128,619, filed on Apr. 23, 2002, now U.S. Patent 6,863,689, now Pat. No. 6,863,689, and which is a continuation-in-part of both application No. 09/982,148, filed on Oct. 18, 2001, now U.S. Patent 6,607,559, as well as application No. 09/982,148, filed on Oct. 18, 2001, now Pat. No. 6,669,730, and a continuation-in-part of application No. 09/968,046, filed on Oct. 1, 2001, October 18, 2001, now U.S. Patent 6,673,113.

The corrections indicated should be made as the application originally filed does not contain such errors. There is no requirement for payment of a fee since the errors were made by the Patent Office.

We look forward to early return of the Certificate of Correction duly certified.

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